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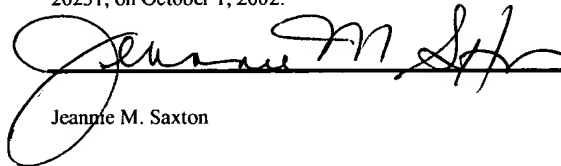
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Serial No. 09/865,546) Examiner: Asok K. SARKAR
Filed: May 29, 2001)
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE HAVING) Date: October 1, 2002
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Examiner's non-Final Office Action mailed July 1, 2002, please consider the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 3, please replace the first full paragraph with the following substitute paragraph.

Attached hereto is a marked-up copy of the substitute paragraph.

Next, as shown in FIG. 8D, with the gate electrode 103 and the sidewall 106 used as a